

I am concerned that the FCC uphold the right of satellite radio to program whatever it believes is desired by the consumers and subscribers. Part of the "McDonaldization" of terrestrial broadcast radio - national playlists, bland content, political timidity - can be laid at the decision to allow corporate ownership of large numbers of radio stations by single or controlled entities. Let XM and Sirius, the two only national satellite radio companies, fight to compete for subscribers by offering what the existing or prospective subscribers want - NOT what their terrestrial competitors say they shouldn't offer!

Respectfully submitted,

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